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**Cc:** Lehman, Rachel[Lehman.Rachel@epa.gov]  
**From:** Daguillard, Robert  
**Sent:** Mon 8/10/2015 7:01:50 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Question about CERCLA from Newsweek

All incoming is already going to the regions. Sending to OPS for information and in case anybody suggests looping in some of the HQ offices into a particular inquiry.

**From:** Harrison, Melissa  
**Sent:** Monday, August 10, 2015 2:47 PM  
**To:** Daguillard, Robert; Purchia, Liz; StClair, Christie; Lee, Monica; Allen, Laura; Hull, George  
**Cc:** Lehman, Rachel  
**Subject:** RE: Question about CERCLA from Newsweek

Need to loop in the region. Shaun answered a similar question on the press call.

Christie and I will be getting on a plane shortly, so please make sure all incoming is going to the regions.

Thanks!

Melissa

**From:** Daguillard, Robert  
**Sent:** Monday, August 10, 2015 2:43 PM  
**To:** Purchia, Liz; Harrison, Melissa; StClair, Christie; Lee, Monica; Allen, Laura; Hull, George  
**Cc:** Lehman, Rachel  
**Subject:** FW: Question about CERCLA from Newsweek

**From:** Zoe Schlanger [<mailto:z.schlanger@newsweek.com>]

**Sent:** Monday, August 10, 2015 2:42 PM  
**To:** Smith, Paula; Daguillard, Robert  
**Subject:** Question about CERCLA from Newsweek

Hi Robert and Paula,

I'm writing about the Animas River spill for Newsweek, and I'm wondering about the implications of the spill for the EPA under CERCLA. Will EPA be liable for the spill under CERCLA, or how does CERCLA come into play in this scenario?

Thanks,  
Zoë

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